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SUBJ: FOOD AID TO BOLIVIA

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- 1. EMBASSY SURPRISED AT HIGH FIGURES QUOTED REFTEL FOR BOLIVIAN WHEAT IMPORTS FROM ARGENTINA IN 1973. AS NOTED REFAIR OUR FIGURES SHOW IMPORTS OF ONLY 72,800 METRIC TONS OF WHEAT EQUIVALENT FLOUR FOR FIRST NINE MONTHS AND WE HAVE BEEN TOLD ONLY 5,000 ADDITIONAL TONS HAVE ARRIVED SINCE THEN. MAJOR REASON FOR CURRENT SHORTAGES IN COUNTRY DUE TO ARGENTINA'S INABILITY FULLY MEET ITS COMMITMENTS FOR SHIPMENT THIS YEAR. WE ARE DOUBLE-CHECKING SHIPME*T FIGURES WITH ARGENTINA EMBASSY AND WILL REPORT REPLY ASAP.
- 2. WITH REGARD TO PAST YEAR FIGURES EMBASSY DATA ALSO GENERALLY LOWER THAN WHEAT COUNCIL, ESPECIALLY FOR 1969 AND 1974. WE NOTE THAT IN 1969 AND 1970 BOLIVIA RECEIVED ARGENTINA WHEAT PAID FOR BY UK STERLING DONATIONS. STEDMAN

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